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The Examiner is requested to enter the following amendments and consider the remarks below. Consideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

AMENDMENT

Please cancel claims 1-46 and 49-51 without prejudice or disclaimer.

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Please enter the following new claims:

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52. (New) A liquid dietary supplement for diminishing symptoms of inflammatory disorders, said supplement consisting essentially of:

about 19.29 weight percent water; *112-2*

about 25 weight percent sucrose;

about 35 weight percent oils;

about 15 weight percent flavoring;

about 5 weight percent glycerin; and

less than 1 weight percent minor ingredients; *112-2*

wherein the oils are concentrated borage oil and concentrated marine oil.

53. (New) The dietary supplement of claim 52, wherein the oils consist of about 57% concentrated borage oil and about 43% concentrated marine oil.

54. (New) The dietary supplement of claim 52, wherein the flavoring is orange/peach flavor.

55. (New) The dietary supplement of claim 52, wherein the minor ingredients comprise xanthan gum, colorant, sorbic acid and ascorbyl palmitate.

REMARKS

Status of the Claims

Claims 1-46 and 49-51 are canceled without prejudice or disclaimer. New claims 52-55 have been added. Claims 52-55 are currently in the case.